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(IA)

$$\begin{array}{c} Ar \\ R_1 \\ N \\ N \end{array} \begin{array}{c} R_3 \\ R_2 \end{array} \tag{IB}$$

(57) Abstract: Compounds of formula (IA) or (IB) or salts, N-oxides, hydrates or solvates thereof are Inhibitors of HSP90, and useful in the treatment of, for example, cancer: formula (IA), formula (IB) wherein Ar is an aryl or heteroaryl radical which is linked via a ring carbon, and which is substituted by a hydroxy group on a carbon in the 2-position, and which is otherwise either unsubstituted or optionally substituted; R1 is hydrogen or optionally substituted C1-C6 alkyl; R2 is hydrogen, optionally substituted cycloalkyl, cycloalkenyl, C₁-C₆ alkyl, C₁-C₆ alkyl, or C₁-C₆ alkynyl; or a carboxyl, carboxamide or carboxyl ester group; and R₃ is a carboxamide group.